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STUDENTS OF BIRD LIFE

American Ornithologists' Union at the National Museum.

Young Scientists Read and Discuss Papers Memorial Meeting to Be Held This Evening

About half a hundred persons from all sections of the country who find interest and entertainment in the study of birds gathered in the lecture half of the National

Museum this morning. They were delegates to the thirteenth congress of the American Ornithologists' Union. terrupted regularity until Thursday after and the sessions will be devoted er

tirely to the reading of papers and to dis-

There were four papers gabranted this morning. They were as follows: "An important Factor in the Study of Western Bird Life," Carl F. Baker, "Exhibition of Unpublished Water-color Paintings of Birds by Louis A. Fuertes," Elliott Coues, "On Painting Study Course," Co. P. C. Course, 1981. "On Palias Cormorant," F. A. Lucas, and "Further Remarks on the Subgenus Quis-calus," Frank M. Chapman, The meeting was presided over by Presi-

William Brewster, of Cambridge, Mass. Mr. J. H. Sage, of Portland Conn., acted as secretary. Four lady visitors witnessed the proceedings.

A notable feature of the convention is the

presence of a predominating number of oung men the customary gray beards and bald heads and speciacles, usually seen in conventions of scientic men, being largely At the close of the morning meeting the

elegates were photographed from the front entrance way to the museum The exercises of this evening will be of a memorial character. Prof. D. G. Elliot will ofter a memorial paper on the late George awrence, an honorary member. The of the late Prof. Thomas H. Huxley will form the theme for a paper by Dr. Elilott Coues.

CRUISER OFF FOR TURKEY

Flagship San Francisco to Be Followed by Other War Vessis.

AMERICANS TO BE PROTECTED

Secretary Olpey in Favor of Demon strating to the Porte That He Will Be Wise to Respect the Rights and Persons of Our Citizens-Asiatio Fleet to Be Drawn From.

The detail of the flagship Ban Francisco to assist the cruiser Marblehead in caring for American interests in the Levant (as announced in United Press dispatches last dispatching other American warships to that part of the world if the Armenian situation does not improve.

It is known that Secretary Olney is in favor of leaving nothing undone to show the Porte that citizens of the United States in the Sultan's possessions must be respected in their rights, and that the numerous American educational institutions in Armenia must be protected from mob violence.

THE ENTIRE FLEET. The orders to the San Francisco were expected in view of Mr. Olney's sentiments and the only surprise expressed is that no other vessels have been given

similar orders.

In view of the fact that the San Francisco and the Marbiehead constitute the estire American naval force on the Eu-ropean station it will be necessary for this government in the event of a determination to augment these two cruisers to draw on its fleet now attached to the Asiatic station

MAY BE WITHDRAWN. This ficet consists of the Baltimore, the Olympia, the Monocacy, the Concord, the Petrel, the Charleston, the Machias, the Yorktown, and the Detroit, and in view of comparative safety of American Interests in China at present, owing to the punish-ment of the Ku-Cheng murderers and the prospect of speedy redress for the assaults on missionaries in Cheng-tn and its vicinity, such a large force is not now necessary, and some of the vessels may safely be withdrawn for service in the Levant.

As the Estimore has been relieved by the Chemist and will now service for the United

As the Estimore has been relieved by the Olympia and will soon start for the United States, it is likely that her commander will be directed to return by way of the Indian Ocean, the sea of Arabia and the Red Sea, so that she may join the San Francisco and the Martichead on the Syrian coast. The Charleston and the Detroit might also be called on for this service, and could proceed by the route stated.

PORTE GROWING DOCILE.

Rumored the Requests of Foreign Rep-Rumored the Requests of Foreign Rep-rescularities Will Be Compiled With. Constantinople, Nov. 12.—The porte in reply to the identical note of Germany, Austria, and Italy demanding that the porte's scheme for reform in Armenia be officially communicated to them has in-formed the representatives of these govern-ments that their request will be compiled with without delay.

with without delay.

Later news from the disturbed sections

shows that the situation in Asia Minor has become more serious than ever. Fresh disturbances are reported to have occurred in Marash, Biths, and Sivas.

It is reported that the Turkish garrison at Zeiteoun, which surrendered to the Arrivantach have given in their arms and

penians, have given up their arms and minimization and that the Armenians now occupy the Zeitoun barracks.
Advices from Zeitoun, Asia Minor, say
that the Turkish garrison at that place has
been compelled to surrender to the Arme-

nians.

The financial situation in Constantinople is still unsatisfactory, and the impression prevails that the powers have agreed upon joint action in the matter.

Americans here are somewhat anxious owing to the absence for several days of

news from the districts in which there are

erican missions. nited States Minister Terrett has wired nited States Minister Terrett has wired United States Minister Terrell has wired to Darput asking Missi-pary Darnham, who is stationed there, as to the safety of his

HOSTLER ALLEN'S CASE.

the Commis

The Commissioners this morning senenced Richard R. Allen, hostler at ine house, Georgetown, for being drunk after the last pay day and failing to

This conduct was a violation of rule 16 of the department, and Mr. Allen was tried upon the charges on last Wednesday. The board consisted of First Assistant Chief Belt and Foremen William T. Sorrell of No. 4 and William Lusk of No. 10. The Commissioners approved their finding The sentence is that Mr. Allen pay \$25 in five equal installments; that he be reprimated severely by Chief Parris, and that he be compelled to provide suitably for his wife and children, and that he present

an affidavit that he has sworn to abstain from all intoxicating liquors for the nex-For the least deviation from strict com-

with this order he will be dismi-ed You Needn't Come Down Town The Times has established the fol-

The Times has established the following branch offices where liner advertisements can be left, and will receive as prompt attention as if left at the main office:

Frank Smith, 4th and G sts, nw.
M. McNulty, 1336 14th st. nw.
A. B. McCloskey, 1312 7th st. nw.
H. Hage, 2153 Pa. ave. nw. Joseph Linden, 406 8th st. se. J. W. Johnson, 49 H st. ne. W. F. Anckay, 821 H st. ne. Joseph Petigmt, 609 7th st. sw.

THE TIMES DAILY WEATHER MAP.

(Prepared at the United States Weather Bureau.)

For the District of Columbia and Mary nd—Fair, preceded by rain on the Mary nd coast this evening; warner Wednesday termoon; northerly winds, becoming var-bles. ble.
For Virginia—Fair, preceded by showers
a extreme southeast portion; northerly
inds; warmer in interior Wednesday

Weather Conditions and General Fore Weather Conditions and General Forecast.

The barometer has risen in all districts east of the Mississippi, and it has failen slowly over the Rocky Montain districts and rapidly on the North Pacific coast. It is highest over the Ohio Valley, and it is lowest North of Montana. There has been a sudden decrease in pressure on the North Carolina coast during the night, and there are indications of a storm central southeast of Hutteras, moving northeastward, which is likely to came gales some distance off the Middle Atlantio and Southeastern few England coast, but is not likely to be occurred generally throughout the Southern States last night. The temperature is ising in the West, with Southerly winds.

The indications are that fair weather rill prevail from New Yorksouth westward to Texas, with slowly rising temperature Westmades.

Condition of the Water. High and low tides are officially re High.

3.24 a. m.

4.00 p. m.

Temperature and condition of the water at 8 a. m.: Great Falls—Temperature, 46; condition, 36. Receiving reservoir—Temperature, 53; condition at south connection, 36. Distributing reservoir—Temperature, 52; condition at south connection, 36. Distributing reservoir—Temperature, 52; condition at influent gatebouse, 36; effluent gatebouse, 36;

Schedule for Street Lighting Gas lamps lighted at 5:58 p. m.; extinguished at 5:81 s. m.
Naphtha lamps lighted at 5:58 p. m.; ex-

Overcoat De-

partment looked as if a "Kansas wind storm' had struck it at the close of yesterday's business.

But we've still complete sizes in all lotswe're well stocked for this rush - knew it would come the first cold day.

Wish all you men would look through our Overcoat Stockthey're the nicest garments you ever saw for the prices, and there ain't one in the whole lot that wouldn't cost you dollars more if we

weren't manufacturers. \$9 to \$35-means \$10 to \$45 elsewhere.

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TEXAS DAMAGED IN DOCK

Accident to the Cruiser in the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

More Serious Than the One Suffered by the Columbia-Bottom of the Vessel Has Been Bent in.

Reports have been received here that the battleship Texas has been badly damaged at the Brookiya navy yard, and the timbe dock in which she lies has been partly

flooded to prevent further disaster. The accident, though similar to that which occurred to the Columbia at Southampton, England, is stated to be of a more

serious character. It is learned that the bottom of the ves sel for some distance amidships has been bent in, cracking the cement lining on ribs or frames are buckled.

The full extent of the damage is not known, but the perplexing problem at present is how to save the ship, as it would be hazardous to pump out the dock without removing her guns and all extra weights.

removing her guns and all extra weights. The Texas was put in the dry docks week ago today in order to clear her submerged strainers which were choked with seaweed and mud from her long stay at Norfolk and to clean the barnacles from her

It was found that her propeller and blades were badly bent, necessitating ordering her spare blades from Norfolk, which was promptly done.

out those in charge discovered that the ship was steadily settling and the keel was showing evidences of collapsing, so the order was given to flood the dock as deep as the pro-peller sharts, in order that the water might partially support the ship.

This was done, but an examination of the interior of the vessel showed that she was

still settling, and the dock was further flooded. An official report was sent to the Navy Department, where the matter is now under consideration.

LARGEST DISTRICT CIRCULATION. The average daily circulation of The Times for the week ending November 10 was 35.487.

Issue of Building Permits. Building permits were issued this morn-ing as follows: A. H. Crowell, for a three-story and tanement brick, No. 1829 Nine-teenth street northwest, \$7,500; A. R. Taylor, for a two-story brick at No School street southwest, \$400; Mrs. A. A. Witherow, for a show-window at No. 1321 Ninth street, \$20; the Ruppert estate for a perch at No. 502 D street southeast

Big Boom in Oil. Toledo, Ohio, Nov. 12.-The excitement ver the advance in Objo oil was increased this morning when the Buckeye Paper Line Company amounced that it would pay 80 cents for North Lina, 78 for South Lina and 71 for Indiana. This is a jump of five cents all around. It will lead to it

creased activity in the field, and operators are already hiring additional help. Female Larcenist Beld.

Bessic Gray, arrested by Policeman Hen-don, of the First precinct, last night and charged with larceny, in which a second of-fense was alleged, was tried before Judge Miller in the police court this morning and held for the grand jury in \$500 bonds.

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appeared in the chancel and made ready for the ceremony. A few minutes of impressive silence, a thousand or more anxious glances toward the church catrance, and then pealed forth the strains by the "Priest's March" from Meyerbeer's "Prophet."

BRIDAL PROCESSION. The bridal procession had begun. In the lead were the daners, John C. Furman, G.

Hoyt, H. Maitland Kersey, Wm. Cutting, jr., Winthrop Rutherford, Jared Howe, Crawford Livingston and Harry Payne Next came four girls-Miss Dorothy Parney, Miss Katherine Barney, Miss Francis Burgham, and Miss Laura Whitney, all car-

Then followed the bridesmaids—Miss Gertrade Vanderbilt, Miss Emily Vanderbilt Sloan, Miss Beatrice Bend, Miss Azuba Marsey, Miss Susan Dimock, and Miss Edith Blake Brown. The gowns of the bridesmaids, which were Miss Whitney's gifts, though uniform in design were not in color. They were rose, white, pale green, a delicate yellow, hellotrope and pale blue, all of moire.

Last came the bride. She was walking with her father, leaning slightly upon his arm, She presented a charming picture. Her wedding gown is a marvel of ciegance and extreme simplicity. The full trained skirt of ivory white sath is perfectly plain, save for a cord which runs around the edge.

plain, save for a cord which runs around the edge.

There is not even a flounce of lace on it; beither embroidery or passementerie. The waist is scamless and close fitting, and with nothing to break its symmetry, not even a fall of lace. The high corsage is finished with a stock collar of pleated astin, covered with point lace, which finishes in a rosette at either side.

The very full sleeves are pleated into the armbole and are finished from elbow to wrist in gauntiet style, with a narrow

wrist in gauntlet style, with a narrow frill of lace at the wrist. The only other lace on the corsage falls over the puffs of the sieeves from the shoulders.

FORTUNES IN LACE. This face is exquisitely fine, with a de This lace is exquisitely fine, with a design of roses and true lovers' knots. A cluster of orange blossoms was fastened at the left side on the waist line. The veil is a spleadid piece of point lace, which extended almost to the end of the train.

As the bride and her father approached the chancel rail, the groom stepped forward to receive his bride. The two then passed through the double line formed by the attending party and took up their positions ready for the ceremony. Mr. Whitney stood at the side of the best man.

at the side of the best man. at the side of the best man.

Bishop Potter immediately began the marriage ceremony. At its conclusion the bride and groom. Mr. Whitney and the best man, went into the vestry, where the marriage registry was signed. While this was going on musical selections were rendered by the organ, orchestra and soloists.

After the usual formalities were attended to, the party returned to the chancel. The organist them played the Mendelssohn's

organist then played the Mendelssohn's Wedding March, and to its enchanting strains, the briddl procession filed out of The wedding breakfast was served at the Whitney mansion, Fifth avenue and Fifty-seventh street. About 100 of Miss

Whitney's nearest friends had been in-vited. The breakfast was served in the large ballroom, which had been trans-formed into a beautiful flower bower for Among those who participated in the breakfast, in addition to the bridal party

were President Cleveland, Secretary La-mont, Governor and Mrs. Morton, the Brit sh Ambassador, Sir Julian Pasancefote; Lord Westmeath and Lady Colebrook. PRICELESS PRESENTS

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The wedding glfts were numerous and valued at hundreds of thousands of dolars. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland sent a large two-handled aliver cup and Secretary Lamont a beautiful painted fan.

Mr. Whitney presented his daughter with the famous Whitney family jewels. In addition be gave a magnificent necklace containing over 250 pearls and 200 diamonds. Another beautiful necklace, composed of over 200 green opals and diamonds, was the gift of Charles William Bingham.

Other presents were made by Lady Parget. Other presents were made by Lady Paget, nd brooch: Earl and Countess of Essex, silver box; Sir Edwin and Lady Count Sierstorpff, fan, pearl and gold sticks: Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, diamond leaf pin: Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, feather fan, Ivory sticks; a complet traveling case by the grooms family. Col O. H. Payne, a necklace of pearls, Chaun cey M. Depew, silver coffee service; Mrs Astor, a dainty silver dessert service; Mr

and Mrs. Thomas F. Gilroy, gold mounted

scent bottles Mr. and Mrs. Richard Croker.

large silver edged mirror. Mr. and Mrs John Jacob Astor, large silver vase: Mrs Chandralain silver dish DISTINGUISHED GUESTS.

The following are among the invited guests: President Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lamont. Secretary of Navy Herbert and Mrs. Herbert, Bishop Leonard, of Ohio, Count Sierstopff, Lady Colebrooke, Chauncey M. Depew, Governor and Mrs. Morton, the Misses Morton, Earl and Countess of Eastex, Marshall P. Field, Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goelet, Mrs. William H. Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Cercelius Van-derbilt, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Fresierick W. Vanderbilt, Misses Van Renssaeier, Dr. and Mrs. Sew-ard Webb, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Iselin, Col. William Jay, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Loril-lard, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Martin. Prince and Princess Enspoli, Marquis de Talley-rand, Mrs. Tiffany, Mrs. Brockholst Cutrand, Mrs. Tiffany, Mrs. Brockholst Cutting, Mr. Charles A. Dana, Paul Daeas, Mrs.
Astor, Mr. and Mrs. John Jacob Astor,
Hon, and Mrs. Thomas F. Bayard, Mr.
and Mrs. Chamberlain, James G. Blaine,
Jr., Secretary of State and Mrs. Olney, S.
Nicholas Kane, Lorilland Kipp, H. Maitland Kersey, Courtland Palmer, Col.
Payne, William G. Rockefeller, Lispenard
Mannay, L. J. Van Alen, Creighton G.

land Kersey, Controlling Tables, Carlotte Payne, William G. Rockefeller, Lispenard Stewart, J. J. Van Alen, Creighton G. Webb, and H. Deforrest Weeks.
The bride and bridegroom will go to Minnesota for a short time, and as the winter sets in will sait for the Riviera, and though to Cairo.

thence to Cairo.

The bride is one of the great heiresses in America. She is about twenty-one years old, and made her debut in Washington society shortly before her mother's death, in 1893. Since then she has spent much time in traveling in Europe and the East with her father. It was on the Nile trip that she met and became engaged to Mr.

Almeric Hugh Paget is the youngest so Almeric Hugh Faget and he is thirteen years older than his bride! He came to America to seek his fortune about eighteen years ago. Be ginning as a ranchman, he gradually worked his way up to the management of a big English company, which place he still bolds. He is largely known and very popu-lar throughout the West.

INTERESTED BUT SILENT.

Reception of President Cleveland by a New York Dock Crowd. New York, Nov. 12.—President Cleve-land, who came from Washington to attend the Whitney-Paget wedding, arrived at the Pennsylvania depot in Jersey City early this morning. He came in First Vice Presi-dent Frank Thompson's private car, and was accompanied by Secretaries Lamont and Herbert. The trip from Washington

appouncement of the President's The announcement of the President's coming in the morning papers sent a great many of the curious to the depot, and when the Presidential party alighted from the train they had to pass through quite a large crowd to their carriage.

There was no demonstration. The crowd was interested, but silent. After crossing the ferry the President and his companions were driven to the Hotei Netherlands.

Sala Nearing His End. London, Nov. 12.—The condition of George Augustus Sala, the distinguished journalist, who for some time has been lying ill at Brighton, is much worse.

LARGEST DISTRICT CIRCULATION.

The average daily circulation of The Times for the week ending November 10 was 85,487.

SURGEONS IN CONVENTION

Eighth Annual Meeting of Southern Gynecological Association.

Many Distinguished Medical Men Are Members—Dr. Busey Delivers the Address of Welcome,

of surgeons that ever assembled in this city met this morning at 9:30 o'clock in the banquet hall of the Shoreham Hotel. The occasion was the eighth annual meet ing of the Southern Surgical and Gynecolog

ical Association. This association was formed some years ago, and at the present time includes among its members some of the most distinguished surgeons in the United States.

Promptly at 9.30 o'clock the meeting was called to order by the president, Dr. Louis McLane Tiffany, of Baitmore. Dr. H. C. Basey welcomed the visitors on behalf of the surgeons of Washington in a masterly address. The president, Dr. Tiffany, replied.

The delegates who have arrived today are as follows: Dr. W. G. Bogart, of the Chattanooga Medical College, Chattanooga; Dr. Lewis Crenshaw Bosher, Medical College of Virginia, Richmond; Dr. Bedford brown Va.; Dr. Abiah Morgan Cartledge, Louis-ville Medical College, Louisville, Dr. W. H. H. Cobb, Goldsbore, N. C.; Dr. John D. S. Da-vis, Birmingham Medical College, Isrming-ham, Ala.; Dr. William Elias Davis, Bir ham, Ala.; Dr. William Elias Davis, Birmingham, Ala.; Dr. Richard Douglas, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. James Evans, Florenca, S.C.; James McFadden Gaston, Southern Medical College, Atlanta, Ga.; Dr. Horace H. Gram Lanseville, Hospital College of Medicine, Louisville; Dr. William David Haggard, University of Tennessee, Nashville; Dr. John Torbet Henry, Chester, S. C.; Joseph Faber Johnson, Georgetown University, Washington; George Benjamia Johnston, Richmond; Dr. Howard Atwood Kelly, Johns Hopkins University, Balti-Johnston, Richmond; Dr. Howard Atwood Keily, Johns Hopkins University, Balti-more, Md.; Cornelius Kollock, Cheraw. S. C.; Erneat S. Lewis, New Orleans, La.; J. W. Loug, Medical College of Virginia; Richmond; Hunter Holmes McGuire, Rich-mond; Herbert Milton Nash, Norfolk, Va.; H. T. Nelson, Charlottesville, Va.; William P. Nicholson, Southern Medical College, Atlanta; George H. Noble, Atlanta; Will-iam M. Potter, Burfalo; Seneca D. Powell Charles Alfred Lee Reed, Cincinnati, Ohio; Charles Alfred Lee Reed, Cincinnati, Ohio; Charles Alfred Lee Reed, Cincinian, Onlog George H. Roke, Catonsville, Md.; George Ross, Richmond; Isaac Scott Stone, Wash-ington; Christopher Thompkins, Richmond; Albert Vander Veer, Albany; Willis F. Westmoreland, Atlanta; Henry P. Wilson, Baltimore; John Allan Wyeth, New York. Following the roll wall the reading of papers began. The first was the "Personal experience in the treatment of state wounds of the intestines and peritonium."

The paper was well received and occasioned Dr. A. Vander Veer, of Albany, then read

by Dr. Bedford Brown, of Richmond, Va.

Dr. A. Vander Veer, of Albany, then read his paper on "Report on Five Cases in Abdominal Surgery in which the Murphy Button Was Used." A spirited discussion followed the reading of this paper. The defects and advantages of the Murphy button were discussed pro and con by the assembled surgeons.

Other papers read were; "Resection and Intestinal Auastomosis," by Dr. H. Horace Grant, of Louisville; "Caecal Hernia, with Report of Cases," by Dr. W. O. Roberts, Louisville; "Necrosis of the Ribs in Three Cases Resultant in Typhoid Fever," by Dr. W. L. Robinson, Danville; "Surgical In-W. L. Robinson, Immville, "Surgical In-terference in Rectal Diseases," by Dr. J. Mo-Padden Gaston, Atlanta; "Case of Gun-shot Wound of the Brain-Removal of Bul-let and Recovery," by Dr. W. E. Parker, Nav Orleans.

let and Recovery," by Dr. W. E. Parker, New Orleans.

At this time the members began to feel the rangs of hunger, and the meeting adjourned to convene at 2:30 for the further consideration of papers.

The officers of the association are as follows: President, Louis McLane Tiffany, Baltimore; vice presidents, Ernest S. Lewis, New Orleans, and Manning Simons, Charleston, S. C.; secretary, William Elias B. Davis, Birmingham; trensurer, Richard Douglas, Nashville; council, George J. Engleman, St. Louis; Hunter McGuire, Richmond; William David Haggard, Nashville; Bed-William David Haggard, Nashville; Bed ford Brown, Alexandria; Lewis S. McMur-try, Louisville, and Joseph Taber Johnson. Washington.

NO REASON TO FEAR. mate Stock Brokers in No. ger, Says Mr. Birney. Every bucket shop in the District may expect with confidence that something will happen in a legal way in which each will have a direct interest just as soon as the

sappen in a legal way in which each will have a direct interest just as soon as the necessary evidence is obtained upon which United States District Attorney Birney said to The Times to-lay that these cases will have his attention as rapidly as pre-sented, and it may be inferred that steps are being taken to discover the estab-

nents, with evidence forthcoming to establish the charges.

Mr. Birney added that legitimate dealers have no cause to fear interruption, but in all cases of arrest it will be incumbent upon the accused to show a clean record. "Of course, we cannot control the action of the posice," added Mr. Birney, "but I have every reason to believe that the force will be careful, as they usually are, and that no arrests will be made without the evidence to support them."

NEW YORK'S SWELL FAIR Elite Society Out in Force and an Astor Wins a Prize. New York, Nov. 12.—The second day of horse show opened with a better attend-ance than yesterday. Ponics and backneys held the ring during the forencon hours, and ooth classes had plenty of admirers The boxes and seats of the Four Hundred

had few occupants and presented a marked contrast to their appearance last evening. The first class to be judged today was for horses and delivery wagons, and ten showy business rigs from prominent city houses were in the ring. Pursell & Co. cap

prize in the class for ponies in harness. John Jacob Astor won second. Anacostia Driver Assaulted. An assault was made upon W. T. Chinn driver on an Anacostia car, at the corne

of Third street and Missouri avenue about 7.30 o'clock last evening. Chim's assailant jumped on the front platform and dealt the driver a blow in the face that knocked him senseless. When he revived the man had fled, but Mr. Chinn claims that he knows who he was and will have a warrant issued for his arrest.

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By virtue of a writ of fiere facias issued out of the cierk' office of the supreme court of the District of Columbia and to me directed, I will sell at public sale for cash at the livery stable of John H. Gheen, No. 627 G street north west, at 11 o'clock a. m., on Friday, November 22, 1895, one delivery wagon, che buggy, one saddle, one set of wagon harness, one set buggy robe, attached and levied upon as the property of William L. Harkness, and sold to satisfy execution No. 38,522, in favor of the Carbon Dioxide and Magnesia Co.

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the General K. of L. Assembly.

EXAMINING CREDENTIALS

First Session Largely Spent in Routine Business-Intelligent and Studious Representatives of Unions All Over the United States and Canada. Important Results to Be Expected.

The nineteenth annual convention of the

Knights of Labor in the United States and Canada was at 10 o'clock this morning called to order in Mechanics' Hall, corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Four-and-a-half street northwest.

James E. Sovereign, grand master work-

man of the organization, presided, with John R. Hayes in the secretary's chair. Sixty-eight delegates answered to the roll The attendance is expected to be ma terially increased during the afternoon and evening by the arrival of far-distant delegates, those from Montana, Texas and other remote States not having yet been re-

corded as present. At least 100 representa tives will be here by the time the convention ettles down to business. While the numericristrength of the convention is necessarily limited, owing to the fact that but one delegate is allowed from each 3,000 of membership, the gather-ing is in every sense of the word representa ive. Those present are all men of unusual intelligence, long experience in the work of affording adequate protection to the interests of labor, possessing standing and influence in their respective communities, and the utmost reliance can be placed in their wisdom and ability to expert such lensels.

the order. WORK OF ORGANIZATION. The morning session today was entirely devoted to the work of organization. The question of credentials was the only sub-ject under discussion, and a concussion had not been reached when a recess was taken at 12:45 until 2 o'clock p. m., and the delegates partook of lunches at the Hotel

their wisdom and ability to enact such leg

Several contests have arisen, and the technical question as to whether contest-ing delegates can be seated by the conven-tion without their claims having been first passed upon by the grievance commit-tee. No significance whatever attaches to this feature of the meeting, as it is re-garded as purely one of detail.

When the preliminary work of examining

garded as purely one of detail.

When the preliminary work of examining and accepting credentials shall have been completed working committees will be appointed and the regular work of the session begin. The first matter of general interest will be the annual address of Grand Master Worksons, Sourceion.

Master Workman Sovereign.

To The Times reporter Mr. Sovereign said that his address would be quite brief and only touch upon matters appertaining to the organization of which he is the head in a general way. His annual report will

come later and be more specific in its character. This will be disposed of in practically the same way as the President's annual message to Congress.

It will be divided up into blocks, so to speak, and distributed among the various consultings seek before even the the porspeak, and distributed minoring the various committees, each being given those por-tions referring to topics with the considera-tion of which they are especially charged. These will come up, after due examination by the committee, for discussion and action by the convention as a whole.

EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT. The report of the executive board has the report of the executive board has been practically completed and only a waits transmission to the convention. The work of the year has been examined and gathered together for information and inspection. It will show that great progress has been made and the condition of the order is better today than ever before in its history. The delecates without exception all The delegates, without exception, all bring in the most encouraging reports from the sections of the country they represent. All testify to the growth and prosperity of the organization, and confidently predict

its steady increase and continually developing usefulness.

The regular sessions of the convention p. m. There has been no limit placed on the duration of the meeting, but sessions will continue from day to day until the work

During the present session many matters of vital importance to the organization will come up for consideration. Among these will be a proposition to change the method of collecting the per capita tax At present all taxes are paid by the various locals direct to the general office.

is finally completed

lection of the per capita tax in the haeds of the district assembly to which the locals belong.

The next proposed change is an increase in the charge for all new charters, seals, and, in fact, everything pertaining to the formation of new organizations. Another important measure which will

be introduced is one providing for mem-bership of individuals in small towns and the rural districts where there are no the rural districts where there are no local organizations.

The convention will also make an emphatic denial of the rumor that the assembly at New Orleans, La., had admitted barkeepers and barienders to membership.

There are cases where members of the K. La find it necessary to accept tempo-

rarily positions as waiters and bartenders in saloons, but that is all. THE STEERING COMMITTEE. The convention will not hold night sessions unless they become absolutely necessary to expedite the transaction of business. During the evenings such of the delegates as have not accepted other offers of entertainment will be taken in charge by the local "steering committee" and escorted to meeting of the services.

corted to meetings of the various local as-semblies in this city.

This committee is composed of the fol-lowing gentlemen:

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Joseph Banes.
The atmost harmony prevails among the delegates in attendance upon the conven-tion, and there are not the slightest indica-tions of internal controversies and dissen-sions. Everything points to united, earnest, hard work for the benefit of the order and the general welfare and advancement of laboring men throughout the country. The grand officers and a large number of delegates are quartered at the Hotel Ven-

on top of the building. This is the only em-blem recognized by the organization as be-ing appropriate and patrictic. SOME OF THOSE PRESENT.

ome, and in honor of their presence a large

American flag floats proudly from the staff

Among the delegates at the Vendome are the following: James R. Sovereign, Des Moines, Iowa; James R. Sovereign, Des Moines, Iowa;
M. J. Bishop, Boston; C. A. French,
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London cables came lower, but for the first time in a week or so the foreign finan-

cial advices had little influence on our se-Local operators are paying more atten-tion to home affairs, and, for the moment at least, the Turkish question has been relegated to the background. Room traders were disposed to cover short contracts, and some of them were working to bring about a raily, now that it is tolerably certain that there will be no gold exports tomorrow. London bought St. Paul and L. & N., but

the dealings for fereign account were light, and continued so until closing.

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